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To the

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the writer dedicates this Record of Ancestral Services, arranged, condensed and tabulated from more extensive notes. In the collection of these notes, mainly drawn together some thirty-five years since, he would acknowledge his indebtedness to the kind assistance of the late Rev. Abner B. Morse as well as to Mr. A. Hawley, then connected with the Dept. of Mass. Archives.

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Colonial Service in French and
OF THE
Nathaniel and Samuel Greenwood of Boston, and

NAME.	DESCENT.	TOWN.	RANK.	CAPTAIN OR COMPANY.
Benjamin. ⁴	Samuel, ¹ Samuel, ² Nathaniel, ¹	Boston	Corporal	Rich ^d Atkins
Caleb. ³	William, ² Thomas, ¹	Sherborn	Private	Joseph Perre
Isaac. ²	Nathaniel, ¹	Boston	Captain	
Isaac. ³	Samuel, ² Nathaniel, ¹	"	Chaplain	Thom. Frankland
James. ⁴	Daniel, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Sutton	Clerk	John Learned
"	" " "	"	Corporal	Solomon Holman
"	" " "	Sutton	Ensign	Samuel Trask
"	" " "	"	Ist Lieut.	
"	James, ³ James, ² Thomas, ¹	Sherborn	Corporal	David White
"	" " "	Holliston	Sergeant	Samuel Bullard
John. ⁴	Josiah, ⁴ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Newton	Private	Ephraim Jackson
" (Y.)	Nathaniel, ² Samuel, ¹	Boston	"	James Gray
"	Isaac, ⁴ Isaac, ³ Samuel, ² Nathaniel, ¹	"	Fifer	Martin Gay
Joseph. ³	Samuel, ² Nathaniel, ¹	"	"	Lt. John Greenwood (his uncle).
"	" " "	"	Soldier	
"	" " "	"	Private	Lawrence White
"	" " "	"	"	W ^m Angier
"	" " "	"	"	Giles Harris
"	William, ² Thomas, ¹	Sherborn	Private	— Whitney
"	Thomas, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Holden	Sergeant	Joseph Perre
Miles. ³	Nathaniel, ² Samuel, ¹	Boston	Lieutenant	John Biglo
"	" " "	"	"	Giles Harris
"	" " "	"	"	Simon Jeffords
Nathaniel. ¹	(brother of Miles; b. 1732?)	"	Secretary	
Samuel. ²	Samuel, ¹	"	Ensign	John Gore
"	Nathaniel, ¹	"		
"	Samuel, ² Nathaniel, ¹	"	Captain	
"	Samuel, ³ Samuel, ² Nathaniel, ¹	"	Secretary	
Thomas	(Not known.)	Holden		
"	Thomas, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Holden	Private	John Biglo
William. ³	William, ² Thomas, ¹	Sherborn	Corporal	Joseph Perre
(Name not given.)		Boston	Captain	Benj. Hallowell, Jr.

Indian Wars, 1650-1775,

DESCENDANTS OF

Thomas Greenwood of Newton, Mass.

COLONEL OR REGIMENT.	SERVICE.	TIME.
Joseph Williams.....	Reported: Discharged Sept. 16..... List of men, 16 to 60, Sherborn, March 14, 1757..... Taken by a French picaroon; loss of £1,000 cash. (Enlisted, Boston, Mass., Nov. 10, 1743..... Discharged, Charleston, S. C., May 22, 1745.	6 m. 21 d. from Ap. 3, 1758.
Brigantine.....		About March, 1694-5.
H. M. S. "Rose Frigate".....		Several prizes taken in 1744, and on Dec. 1 the French Register ship "Conception," of great value.
John Chandler, Jr.....	Crown Point Expedition; entered service Sept. 24, 1755..... Relief of Fort Wm. Henry..... List of Officers in 1st Worcester Co. Regt., 1771.....	7 wks. 17 d. in Aug. 1757.
John Chandler.....	" " " " "	
Joseph Williams.....	Reported: Discharged July 24, 1758..... List of Foot Co., dated April 22, 1757..... Reported: Died October 8, 1760..... Reported: 22 years old; Deserted..... Boston Regt., 4th Co.....	3 m. 12 d. from May 2, '58.
(John) Winslow.....	Mustered by Jas. Warren, Jr., Sept. 25, 1755.....	
Indep. Co. of Falmouth (Portland).	Crown Point Expedition: marched from Albany to Boston..... Reported: Discharged Nov. 1..... " 51 years of age..... On billeting-roll, march from Lake George..... List of men, 16 to 60, Sherborn, March 14, 1757..... March from Holden for relief of Fort Wm. Henry.....	13 w. 2d. from Sept. 15, 1755. 7 m. 2 d. from May 1, 1758. 25 w. 3 d. from July 1, 1761. 1758.
Bagley.....		
John Chandler, Jr.....		17 d. in Aug. 1757.
Joseph Jackson.....	Secretary of Governor —— of Nova Scotia?..... List of Officers comm ^d for the Boston Regiment in 1763..... Prisoner in Mexico..... On Committee for fitting out the two Port Royal Expeditions.	35 w. 4 d. from Ap. 18, 1761. 5 m. 8 d. from July 1, 1762.
Boston Regiment.....	Secretary of Gov. Jonathan Belcher of Massachusetts..... Expedition to Canada, 1690, under Sir Wm. Phipps..... Relief of Fort Wm. Henry..... List of men, 16 to 60, Sherborn, March 14, 1757..... Capt. Greenwood's servant served on board (no name given).	Winter 1705-'6. 1710 & 1711. 1722-'42. 1739-42. Claimant for bounty land. 17 d. in Aug. 1757.
Ship "King George".....		8 w. 4 d. from Nov. 12, 1760.

REVOLUTIONARY

OF THE

Nathaniel and Samuel Greenwood of Boston,

NAME.	DESCENT.	TOWN.	RANK.	CAPTAIN OR COMPANY.
Aaron. ⁴	Caleb, ³ William, ² Thomas, ¹	Sherborn.	Private.	Henry Leland.
"	" " "	"	"	— Morse.
"	" " "	"	"	Walter McFarland
"	" " "	"	"	Staples Chamberlain.
Abel. ⁴	James, ³ James, ² Thomas, ¹	Framingham.	"	Samuel King.
"	" " "	"	Drummer.	Joseph Winch
"	" " "	"	"	David Brewer
Abijah. ⁵	Joseph, ⁴ Thomas, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Hubbardston.	Corporal.	William Morean
Asa. ⁶	" " " "	Holden.	Private.	Samuel Hubbard.
"	" " " "	"	"	Ebenezer Blake.
"	" " " "	"	"	Benj. Haywood.
Bela. ⁴	Jonas, ³ William, ² Thomas, ¹	Sherborn.	Fifer.	John Home
"	" " " "	"	"	Joshua Leland
"	" " " "	"	"	Staples Chamberlain.
Benjaminin. ³	Nathaniel, ² Samuel, ¹	Boston.	Private.	Lt. Jabez Hatch
Daniel. ⁵	Daniel, ⁴ Daniel, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Sutton.	"	Abijah Burbank
Ebenezer. ⁴	Josiah, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Newton.	"	Jeremiah Wiswall.
Enoch. ⁶	Thomas, ⁴ Thomas, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Westborough.	"	Timothy Brigham.
"	" " " " "	"	"	Isaac Harrington.
"	" " " " "	"	"	Staples Chamberlain.
Francis. ⁴	(prob. brother of Aaron.)	Hopkinton.	"	John Hayward
"	" " " " "	"	"	
Holms. . . .	Nathl. ⁴ John, ³ Thomas, ² Thomas, ¹	Rehoboth (or Warren, R. I.).	Boy.	
Isaac. ⁵	Nathan, ⁴ Josiah, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Newton.	Private.	Ahram Pierce.
"	" " " " "	"	"	Isaac Pope.
"	Isaac, ⁴ Isaac, ³ Samuel, ² Nathaniel, ¹	Boston.	Seaman.	Israel Bishop.
"	" " " " "	"	"	W. Coles.

SERVICES

DESCENDANTS OF

and Thomas Greenwood of Newton, Mass.

COLONEL OR REGIMENT.	SERVICE.	TIME.
Samuel Bullard.....	Lexington alarm.....	11 days, Apr. '75.
— Putnam.....	Continental Army, 5th Regiment.....	Feb. '77 to Dec. '79.
Cyprian Howe.....	Reinforcement for Continental Army in R. I.	3 mos. from Oct. 30, '80.
— Dean.....	Tiverton, R. I.	11 days from Meh. 7, '81.
Joseph Whitney.....	Camp at Hull.....	1 m. 2 d. from June 21, '76; 3 m. from Aug. 1, '76; 1 m. 3 d. from Nov. 1, '76.
Samuel Bullard.	Northern Army under Gen. Gates	2 m. 19 d. from Aug. 16, '77.
Abner Perry.....	To R. I. by order of Couneil.	14 d. from July 28, '80.
Eph. Doolittle.....	Lexington alarm.....	17 days, April '75.
Job Cushing.....	In Northern Army.	3 mos. from Sept. 3, '75.
Nathan Wade.....	In R. I.	12 mos. from Jan. 1, '78.
Lt. Col. Calvin Smith.....	Reinforcement to Army, West Point.	6 m. from July 12, '80.
Jonathan Reed.....	Guards at Cambridge, over Burgoyne's army.....	3 m. from Apr. 2, '78.
Abner Perry.....	R. I. alarm.	14 d. from July 23, '80.
— Dean.....	Tiverton, R. I., by order of Gov. Haneock.	11 d. from Meh. 7, '81.
Maj. Andrew Symmes.....	Boston Regiment, on guard in town.	5 wks. from May 12, '77.
Jacob Davis.....	R. I. alarm.	9½ d. from July 30, '80.
— Hatch.....	Dorchester Heights.	5 dys. from Meh. 4, '76.
Paul D. Sargent.....	16 th Cont. Regt. (late 28 th).	Prisoner, Fort Washington, Nov. 16, '76.
Job Cu-hing.....	Bennington alarm.	1 m. 10 d. from July 27, '77.
Samuel D. Canney.....	At Claverack, N. Y.	1 m. 15 d. from Nov. 7, '79.
— Dean.....	Tiverton, R. I.	11 d. from Meh. 7, '81.
— Webb.....	Re-inforcement at West Point.	3 m. from Aug. 21, '81.
Ebenezer Brooks.....	On a R. I. privateer; close of war.	Prisoner on the "Jersey," N. Y.
Brig th "New Broom," 16 g. of New London.....	Guards at Cambridge.	2 m. 22 d. from June 12, '78.
Armed ship "Brittus" of Salem.....	Reinforcement at West Point.	5 m. from July 17, '80.
	Captured by Ariel, sloop of war, Capt. H. Mackenzie.	Prisoner in New York, 1778-9.
	About 1781.	" at St. Johns, Antigua.

NAME.	DESCENT.	TOWN.	RANK.	CAPTAIN OR COMPANY.
James. ⁴	James, ³ James, ² Thomas, ¹	Framingham.	Private.	Simon Edgel.
"	" " "	"	"	Jos. Morse.
"	" " "	"	"	Sam. King.
"	Daniel, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Sutton (Millbury).	Captain.	Abijah Burbank.
"	" " "	"	Private.	Henry Leland.
Jonathan. ⁴	Jonas, ³ William, ² Thomas, ¹	Sherborn.	Corporal.	Joshua Leland.
John. ⁵	John, ⁴ Thomas, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Newton.	Private.	Amariah Fuller.
"	James, ⁴ Daniel, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Sutton.	"	Abijah Burbank.
"	(Not known.)	Falmouth (Barns. Co.).	"	W ^m . H. Ballard.
"	John, ³ Thomas, ² Thomas, ¹	Rehoboth.	"	Sylvanus Martin.
"	" " "	"	"	Nathaniel Ides.
"	Isaac, ⁴ Isaac, ³ Samuel, ² Nathaniel, ¹	Boston.	Fife Major.	Theo. T. Bliss.
"	" " "	"	Fifer.	John Hinckley.
"	" " "	"	Captain.	Privateer service.
Joshua. ⁵	Nath ¹ , ⁴ Josiah, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Newton.	Private.	Amariah Fuller.
"	" " " "	"	"	"
"	" " " "	"	"	Alvan Pierce.
Levi. ⁵	Joseph, ⁴ Thomas, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Hubbardston.	"	David Bent.
"	" " " "	"	"	Jotham Houghton.
"	" " " "	"	"	Francis Wilson.
"	" " " "	Paxton.	"	John Cutler.
Miles. ⁴ *	Benjamin, ³ Nathaniel, ² Samuel, ¹ (?)	Cambridge (Menotomy).	"	Benjamin Lock.
"	" " " "	"	"	Benjamin Lock.
"	" " " "	"	"	William Adam.
"	" " " "	"	"	John Walton.
"	" " " "	"	"	Benjamin Blaney.
"	" " " "	"	"	Stephen Frost.
Miles. ⁵	Nathaniel, ² Samuel, ¹	Salem.	First Lieut.	
"	" "	"	"	Sam ¹ Flagg.
"	" " "	"	Captain.	

* Grandfather of General Nath. P. Banks, of Mass.

COLONEL OR REGIMENT.	SERVICE.	TIME.
John Paterson.	Lexington alarm.	8 dys. Apr. '75.
Joseph Whitney.	26 th Cont. Regt.	8 mos. to Dec. 31, '75.
Camp at Hull.		1 m. 2 dys. from June 21, '76; 3 m. from Aug. 1, '76; 1 m. 3 d. from Nov. 1, '76.
Learned.	Lexington alarm.	2 $\frac{1}{4}$ dys. Apr. '75.
Jonathan Holman.	Providence, R. I.	21 dys. on alarm of Oct. 10, '76.
Samuel Bullard.	Lexington alarm.	11 days, Apr. '75.
Abner Perry.	R. I. alarm.	14 d. from July 28, '80.
Jacob Davis.	Lexington alarm.	1 d. Apr. '75; 28 m. travel.
James Frye.	R. I. alarm.	13 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. from July 30, '80.
Thomas Carpenter.	8 mos. Cont. Army.	"Deserted," on Roll, Cambridge, Oct. 6, '75.
"	Bristol (R. I.) alarm.	5 d. Dec. 8, '76; 30 m.
John Paterson.	Tiverton (R. I.) alarm.	9 d. from July 30, '80, under Gen. Heath.
Lt. Col. Andrew Symmes	Enlisted May 5, 1775, in 26 th Cont. Regt.; 8 mos.	Reinlisted Dec. '75, for 1 yr.
	Guards in Boston.	3 m. from Feb. 13, '78.
	Enlisted Dec., 1778, as Midshipman under Commodore J. Manley.	Rose to rank of Captain before the close of the war.
	Lexington alarm.	1 d.; 28 m. travel; Ap. '75 to Head Quarters, Cambridge.
Samuel Thatcher.	Dorchester Heights.	5 d. from Mch. 4, '76.
Ebenezer Brooks.	Guards at Cambridge.	2 m. 21 d. from Jan. 13, '78.
Nathan Sparhawk.	Bennington alarm.	11 d. from Aug. 20, '77.
Josiah Whitney.	R. I. alarm.	1 $\frac{1}{4}$ mo. from July 30, '78.
Samuel Drury.	To New York state.	1 m. 11 d. from Oct. 21, '79.
Luke Drury.	Levies to recruit U. S. Army.	3 mos. from Sept. '81.
	Lexington alarm.	Rang a midnight alarm on Church bell Ap. 18, 1775, and was in the fight next day.
Thomas Gardner; after Lt. Col. W ^m Bond.	37 th Foot; 8 mos. service.	Enlisted May 4, '75; aged 17.
Samuel Thatcher.	Dorchester Heights, at request of Gen. Washington.	5 dys. from Mch. 4, '76.
Ebenezer Brooks.	At Noodle's Island.	13 d. from Dec. 8, '76.
"	Guards at Cambridge.	86 d. from Jan. 12, '78.
Cyprian How.	R. I. alarm.	2 m. 20 d. from Aug. 10, '80.
Timothy Pickering.	First Essex Regt.; called out on service at various times.	Commis' June 6, '76.
Jacob Gerish.	Volunteer Co. of Guards at Cambridge.	" July 25, '78.
"	Guard at Cambridge; encamped on Winter Hill.	Nov. 11, '77, to Ap. 3, '78.

NAME.	DESENT.	TOWN.	RANK.	CAPTAIN OR COMPANY.
Miles. ³	Nathaniel, ² Samuel, ¹	Salem.....	Capta.n.....
"	" " "	"	"	2 ^d Salem Co.
"	" " "	"	Representative.....
Moses. ⁴	Caleb, ³ William, ² Thomas, ¹	Holliston.....	Private.....	John Leland.....
"	" " "	"	"
"	" " "	"	"	John Boynton.....
"	" " "	"	"
"	" " "	"	"	Joseph Griffiths.....
Nathaniel.....	(Descendant of Thomas. ¹)	Bradford.....	"	Nathan Dix.....
Nevinson. ⁴	Josiah, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Little Cambridge (Brighton).....	"	John Savory, 2 ^d Foot Co.
"	" " "	"	"	Stephen Dana
Oliver. ⁵	John, ⁴ John, ³ Thomas, ² Thomas, ¹	Rehoboth.....	Corporal.....	Joseph Craft.....
Peter. ³	Nathaniel, ² Samuel, ¹	Boston	Private.....	Jabez Bullock.....
"	" " "	"	Seaman.....	George Little.....
Samuel. ³	William, ² Thomas, ¹	Needham.....	Private.....	Pierre Landais.....
Thales. ⁵	Isaac, ⁴ Isaac, ³ Samuel, ² Nathaniel, ¹	Boston.....	Fifer.....	Caleb Champney.....
Thomas Jackson. ⁵	John, ⁴ Thomas, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Newton.....	Private.....	Amariah Fuller.....
Thomas. ⁴	Caleb, ³ William, ² Thomas, ¹	Sherborn.....	"	Benjamin Bullard.....
"	Thomas, ⁴ Thomas, ³ John, ² Thomas, ¹	Paxton.....	"	Phineas Moore
"	" " " " "	"	"	Adam Wheeler.....
"	" " " " "	"	"	Samuel Thompson.....
"	" " " " "	"	"	Loring Lincoln.....
"	prob. Caleb, ³ William, ² Thomas, ¹	Sherborn.....	"	Amos Perry.....
"	(Not known.)	"	Jonathan Drown.....
"	Nath, ⁴ John, ³ Thomas, ² Thomas, ¹	Rehoboth.....	"	Thomas Willington, vice Benj. Bullard, "dis- charged."
"	" " " " "	"	"	— Scott.....
William. ⁴	James, ³ James, ² Thomas, ¹	Framingham.....	"	Lawson Buckminster.....
"	" " " " "	"	"	Amos Cranston.....
"	" " " " "	"	"	— Hancock.....

COLONEL OR REGIMENT.	SERVICE.	TIME.
	Fitted out privateers "True American," "Revenge," &c., at Salem, 1776.	
Abijah Pierce.....	Rep. for Salem, 1 st and 2 ^d Gen. Co. Lexington alarm	Com ^d Sept. 1781. 1781-'2. 6 days, Apr. '75. Name on Coat Roll of Oct. 31, '75; Camp, Winter Hill.
Nathan Spathawk, com-manded by Col. Job Cushing.	Bennington expedition.....	34 d. from Aug. 23, '77.
John Jacobs	Reinforce ^{mt} to Cont. Army.....	1 yr. from Aug. 1, '78.
Samuel Johnson.....	Lexington alarm.....	6 m. 14 d. from June '80.
Samuel Thatcher.....	Marched to Roxbury.....	3½ dys. Apr. '75.
Ebenezer Craft.....	At Boston.....	2 dys. from Mch. 4, '76.
Thomas Carpenter	R. I. alarm; to Tiverton.....	5 dys. from Dec. 9, '76.
	"Winthrop" sloop of Boston.....	14 dys. from July 27, '80, and 48 m. travel.
	U. S. Frigate "Alliance," 1779.....	6 mos. from Mch. 19 (no year).
Aaron Davis.....	Lexington alarm.....	Died a prisoner of war.
(M. Gen. Gates)	Guards in and about Boston.....	2 d. Apr. '75; 30 m. travel; this Co. was ac-tively engaged.
— Pierce	Lexington alarm.....	2 m. 21 d. from Mch. 21, '79.
Eph. Doolittle.....	"	1 d. Ap. '75; 28 m. travel.
"	"	3½ d. Apr. '75.
Samuel Denny; Maj. Asa Baldwin's Division.	8 mos. service.....	8 d. Apr. '75.
Samuel Denny; Lt. Col. Benj. Flagg's command.		To Dec. 31, '75; encamped on Winter Hill.
Abner Perry.....		1 m. from Sept. 26, '77.
Gamaliel Bradford	Bennington alarm; they marched to Hadley.....	5 d. Aug. '77.
Asa Whitcomb.....		
Henry Jackson.....	16th Foot; enlisted at Providence.....	3 yrs. from June 9, '77.
Lt. Col. Sam ^d Pierce.....	At Tiverton, on R. I. alarm	1 m. 20 d. from May 15, '79.
Samuel Denny.....	In Continental service; he is called "of Sudbury,"	3 m. from Oct. 28, '79.
	! In Continental service; marched from Springfield July 14,	! 5 m. 1 d. from July 10, '80.

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